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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Transmitted herewith for filing in the present application are the following documents:

- Amendment and Response to Office Action mailed September 6, 2005 (15 pgs.); 1.
- Petition for One-Month Extension of Time (1 pg.); 2.
- Check No. 21685 in the amount of \$120.00; and, 3.
- 4. Return Postcard.

Although Applicants believe that no additional fees are due in connection with this submission, the Commissioner is authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any deficiencies to Deposit Account No. 50-0311, Reference No. 24299-519. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is enclosed.

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